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# TEST REPORT

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Pic. 1: Hypro GAT 110-025

Pic. 2: John Deere PSGAT10025A

## Double - Flatfan nozzle Hypro GAT 110-025 (Plastic, lilac) identical in construction with JOHN Deere PSGAT10025A

#### Approved for spraying field crops

Applicant and Manufacturer Hypro EU Limited Station Road, Longstanton UK – Cambridge CB24 5 DS Approved on 10 January 2012 Extension of approval on 19 October 2015

#### Assessment

The double-flatfan nozzle Hypro GAT 110-025 (Plastic, lilac) is identical in construction with John Deere PSGAT10025A and was tested with an integrated filter. The nozzle is suitable for spraying field crops, provided that the following technical requirements are fulfilled:

- 1. Installation in a spray boom with a sufficient and a steady amount of liquid flow,
- 2. 500 mm nozzle spacing,
- 3. 50 cm between nozzles and spray target (consistency of eveness of cross distribution proved satisfactory at a distance range from 40 cm to 60 cm),
- 4. Spray pressure measured in front of the nozzle between 2.0 and 6.0 bar; liquid volume flow per nozzle as stated in table below.

Suitable precautions should be taken to assure that the nozzles do not get blocked up or drip when in use. The nozzle tip is fitted out with a moulded bajonett cap (System "TeeJet"). The colour coding of the nozzle comply with standard ISO 10625. In the field edge region the last nozzle of the spray line must be closed to prevent an overspraying.

Pressure (bar)	Liquid flow volume without accessories (l/min)	Max. deviation of single nozzle flow from the dosage tables	Evenness of cross distribution at (cm) 40 / 50 / 60 (Vk %)	Droplet spectrum (BCPC-Standard)
2.0	0.99	-	8.4 / 2.7 / 6.6	very coarse
3.0	1.21	-2.68 %	3.4 / 2.8 / 2.1	coarse
4.0	1.40	-	- / 4.2 / -	coarse
5.0	1.57	-	- / 6.5 / -	coarse
6.0	1.72	-2.59 %	- / 7.2 / -	medium

#### Loss reducing properties

Included in the list "Loss reducing equipment" (15. April 2016)

Drift reducing classification	Type of equipment and drift reducing parts	Regulations for use
50 %	Fieldsprayers with nozzle Hypro GAT 110-025	First 20 m from field edge spraying with max. 2.5 bar, nozzle height above target 50 cm
50 %	Fieldsprayers with nozzle John Deere PSGAT10025A	First 20 m from field edge spraying with max. 2.5 bar, nozzle height above target 50 cm

#### Field test

The nozzles were used in the year 2011 on a total of 488 hectares, a sufficient effect of the plant protective measures was confirmed.

#### Basics for testing

The tests were carried out on basis of the Regulations for Testing Plant Protection Equipment (JKI-Guideline 2-1.1:2013) and of ISO 5682-1:1999. The requirements of ISO 16119-2:2013 and of JKI-Guideline 1-2.1:2013 were fulfilled.

<u>Field testing:</u> Landwirtschaftskammer Niedersachsen Wunstorfer Landstr. 9 30453 Hannover Technical testing: Institut für Anwendungstechnik im Pflanzenschutz des Julius Kühn-Instituts, Messeweg 11-12, 38104 Braunschweig © JKI, July 2016